

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

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## GARRETT ANSWERS BLANTON CHALLENGE

The Herald is attempting to keep the voters you were running on your record straight as far as the contest for Congress in this district is concerned.

Since last week a number of things have transpired. Mr. Blanton pitched his campaign in his home town of Abilene, in a two-hour speech last Saturday night.

Mr. Garrett's friends held a rally at Eastland on Friday night and everything arranged for the conflict.

A meeting of the Townsendite people met in Cisco Monday and Mr. Blanton was present, and reports are that no pledges of support either way were obtained.

### MR. GARRETT'S REPLY

Mr. Garrett's reply to Mr. Blanton's challenge, appears as follows:

Hon. Thos. L. Blanton, Candidate for Congress, Abilene, Texas.

Dear Judge:

I received in Tuesday's mail your challenge to a series of joint debates in this district, to be presided over by the democratic county chairman in each case, the final arbiter in all cases to be the district chairman of the 17th congressional district, who is none other than your "Blanton for Congress" chairman in Taylor county. I realize you sent me this challenge, mailing copies to all the time, and some of the people all newspapers, because you knew I would not accept it, under rules and conditions laid down by you, and because you had no other issue on which to make your race against me.

### ISSUES OF CAMPAIGN

You say you want to give the people of the district an intelligent and true idea of the issues involved in this campaign. The results of the first primary indicate quite strongly to my mind that they have a pretty fair conception of the issues. Abraham Lincoln once said: "You can fool all of the people some of the time, and some of the people all the time, but you can't fool all of the people all of the time."

The results of the first primary clearly indicate that you are unable to fool the people longer.

We seem to have agreed on the principal issue. You said it was your record in congress, and you asked third candidate. If you are dissatisfied with this verdict, which you

## BASE BALL

Hamlin plays Anson at the City Park, August 9, a league game.

Hamlin is getting a new line up for this game, also preparing for the play-off series.

Lefty Sublett from Cisco, will pitch and in the outfield will be Bucky Hones, and Bufford Allen.

Come out and boost your home town club. —MANAGER.

Miss Louvenia Newsom came over from Longview last Monday to attend the funeral of her little nephew, Carroll Edward Newsom.

record in congress. After twenty years the people of the district should have a pretty fair idea of the Blanton record. In an interview published in the Abilene newspapers you said your supporters had been overconfident, and that was the reason you did not lead. May I remind you,

Judge, that the vote cast last Saturday was about the same as the votes cast in other years when you were in the lead. The truth of the matter is, the people of this district are just waking up and are no longer afraid of you.

If there are any issues in this race outside your record you failed to state them on the stump. You said plainly in appealing for support in the first primary, that you were asking re-election on your record. You, your sons, both of whom are lawyers, and some of your relatives, appointees, and your newspaper supporters had ample opportunity to explain that record. You did explain it, both on the stump and through the medium of the Congressional Record and your free mailing privileges, for years. Well, the people have spoken. They turned you down in the first primary by giving

asked for on the issues as stated by you, you still have opportunity to present your case to the people and to defend yourself further; but I have my own campaign to look after, and I shall conduct it as my friends and I deem proper.

## BLANTON TO SPEAK IN HAMLIN SATURDAY

BELOW is an announcement from the Blanton Headquarters, requested to be carried in this week's Herald.

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\* Rotan, 10:30 A. M. \*  
\* Sylvester, 1:30 P. M. \*  
\* McCaulley, 4:30 P. M. \*  
\* Roby, night 8:00 P. M. \*  
\* Saturday, August 8:  
\* Lueders, 10:00 A. M. \*  
\* Avoca, 11:30 A. M. \*  
\* Stamford, 2:00 P. M. \*  
\* Hamlin, 4 o'clock, P. M. \*  
\* Anson, night, 8:00 P. M. \*  
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Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McMahon, Miss Edwina Gilbert and Mrs. Randal, of Stamford, returned recently from the Dallas and Fort Worth shows. One of the chief attractions for Mr. McMahon was the Hall of Religion where is located replica of the first church built in Texas. The old McMahon Chapel, built near San Augustine, named for his grandfather.

### SINGING

This Sunday afternoon at 3:00 P. M. there will be singing at the Nazarene Church. We'll have a ladies quartet as a special feature. Everyone invited.

MARTIN WESTBROOK.

asked for on the issues as stated by you, you still have opportunity to present your case to the people and to defend yourself further; but I have my own campaign to look after, and I shall conduct it as my friends and I deem proper.

### HOME COUNTY RETURNS

I know what to expect from you in this run-off and I am prepared for it; I have full confidence in the common sense and the fairness of the people of this district, and am willing to abide by their decision. I know what to expect from the character of your campaign against previous opponents, namely: the Honorable W. R. Smith, Mrs. R. Q. Lee and others. I believe you would not hesitate to misrepresent me or my position on any question if you thought you could gain a vote by doing so, however, when you undertake such a character of misrepresentation, abuse and slander against me. I want you to remember that the people of my county, among whom I have lived for 50 years and who have elected me to public office, gave me a majority of 2,200 votes over both you and my other opponent, while your own county—with a much larger population—gave you only about 500 majority. I know that the good people of the 17th congressional district will regard that fact as a conclusive answer to any slanderous charges or attacks, which you will doubtless make against me in this campaign. Furthermore, being a red-blooded American, I could not stand by and have my character maligned and assassinated although it will probably be attempted by a whispering campaign.

In view of the reasons stated above, I must respectfully decline to accept your challenge.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) CLYDE L. GARRETT.

### BLANTON'S OPENING SPEECH

### HAD SIGNIFICANT CLOSING

In Mr. Blanton's address in Abilene Saturday night he closed with this paragraph:

"Home people of Abilene, I present to you my case. You have an investment in me. I am 10,000 times better prepared and qualified to serve you now than when I entered congress. Congressman Terrell, after serving in congress two years said: "Mr. Speaker, after being here two years, I realize that a man must stay here a number of years to gain a place on a committee of importance, and I haven't the time to waste, hence will not run for re-election." As that was true in Terrell's case, that will be true in Clyde Garrett's case. I leave the issue with you. I ask your support. I shall be content whatever your verdict is on August 22nd. I thank you."

## OTIS MILLER THANKS VOTERS



OTIS MILLER

## BAPTIST CHURCH TO VOTE SUNDAY

For about three weeks or more the membership of the Hamlin Baptist Church have been a bit puzzled about what the resignation of their pastor, Rev. Henry Littleton, meant. Rev. Littleton was given a well-earned vacation of thirty days and he and his wife have been in South Texas and other parts of the state enjoying their time off.

Just before leaving Rev. Littleton left his resignation with the Pulpit Committee, to be offered the church. It was what might be called an "unqualified resignation" and that means, perhaps, for the church to accept it or it may mean he would like to be fair with the church and permit the membership to merely express itself as to whether they wish him to remain longer or not. In recent years Baptist churches have followed the rule of calling their pastors for an indefinite time, and under those circumstances, the only way the pastor may know the will of the "Sentiment."

of the majority of the membership is to offer a resignation and test

This Sunday, August 9, there will not be the regular preaching at the eleven o'clock hour, but the church will be asked to vote their sentiment as to whether or not Rev. Littleton's resignation should be or not be accepted. The vote will be by ballot as usual. All members are urged to be present Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Coquitt Finley and daughter, Mrs. A. B. Harrison, of Cartersville, Ga., are spending the week here with Mrs. Finley's brother, W. L. Walton and family. They were accompanied from Dallas by Mrs. Homer Massey, of Wichita Falls, who is also a guest in the home of her father, W. L. Walton.

### NOW HERE IS YOUR CHANCE FOR A FARM

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Prof. E. O. Bone of Tucumcari, N. Mex., was here Tuesday, renewing acquaintances in Hamlin. He was formerly a teacher in Hamlin and married a daughter of J. A. Cassle.

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Plain Dresses, clnd. and prssd.	50c
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**"Rambling 'Round"**SEEING WHAT'S TO SEE  
HEARING WHAT'S TO HEAR

IT APPEARS the "Capitol of West Texas" is about to go from Abilene to Eastland. It is almost a cinch that the next Congressman is to be an Eastland man, Mr. Garrett; our senator is Mr. Collie, an Eastland man; our State Land Commissioner, Mr. Bill McDonald, is an Eastland man; and if we remember correctly the Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 11th District is Judge Leslie of Eastland. Again it seems about 50 per cent of the people of Taylor County are willing to let some other county

get a little Federal pie.

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**OPEN CISTERNS:** Would you believe it? There are a number of old abandoned cisterns in this town—on vacant lots, mostly. They make good "hide holes." They are good places for chickens, rats, cats, dogs, kids too, to fall into. They are fine places for breeding mosquitoes too. You see they hold enough water for that—maybe enough to drown a cow. Do a little "rambling" yourself. See what you can do about it. An open cistern is a menace to life as well as health. Owners of such danger should be compelled to furnish protection. Public sentiment should force it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Newsom and daughter, Miss Lucille, have been spending the past week in Coahoma and Big Spring, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hamlin in a trip to the Carlsbad Cavern.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our baby son, Carroll Edward Newson, and for the expressions of love shown by the many floral offerings.

May God's richest blessing rest on each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Newsom Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Newsom Sr., and Family,

Mrs. Emma Norton and Family.

## McCAULLEY 4-H CLUB NEWS

The 4-H Club Girls met August 5 for their regular club meeting at the Methodist Church for the purpose of electing another sponsor.

Ten girls were present. They were Laverne Parker, Betty Joe Abbott, Era Mae Martin, Irene Tinnin, Thelma Dean, Faye Lee, Corrine and Latane Atkins, Francis Davison and Millie Drennan.

Mrs. Emogene Shurtliff was elected sponsor. This makes our second sponsor this year and we hope this one will stay with us. We are going to co-operate with her and know she will do the same.

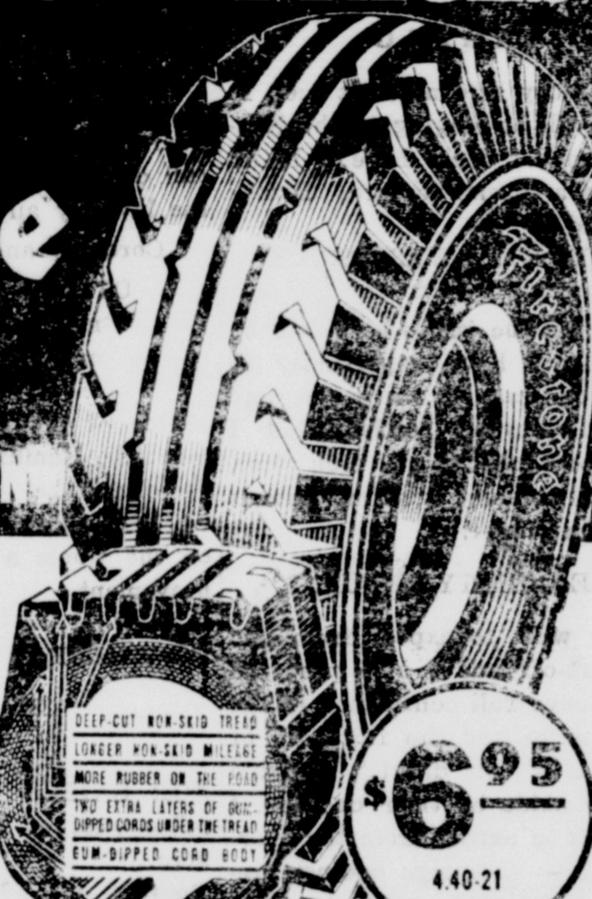
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5.25-18	9.75
5.50-17	10.70
5.50-19	11.20
6.00-17 H. D.	14.30
6.00-20 H. D.	15.55
6.50-19 H. D.	17.45

Firestone SENTINEL	
SIZE	PRICE
4.50-21	6.55
4.75-19	6.42
5.00-19	6.85
5.25-18	7.62

FOR TRUCKS AND BUSES	
SIZE	PRICE
6.00-20 H. D.	\$14.95
6.50-21 H. D.	18.65
7.00-20 H. D.	21.50

Other Sizes Priced Proportionately Low	
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Firestone COURIER	
SIZE	PRICE
4.50-21	85.60
4.75-19	8.92
5.00-19	9.35
5.25-18	9.35

FOR SALE	
SIZE	PRICE
4.50-21	85.60
4.75-19	8.92
5.00-19	9.35
5.25-18	9.35

Gas Range and an Electric Range	
Phone	237

MRS. JOHN VAUGHAN	
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Miss Louise Southard is back at the Jane Beauty Shop after being out some time on her vacation.	
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Mrs. W. H. Collins and son, Bill, of Brownfield, were here this week to visit her sister, Mrs. B. W. Nobles.	
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Miss Hattie Jo Bryson left Wednesday for a visit with her sister in Alpine.	
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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ostrand and children, of Dallas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ebert.	
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FANCY YELLOW — 2 LBS.

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**Okra** 15c  
FRESH GREEN — 2 LBS.

**Black Eyed Peas** 10c  
Fresh Home Grown — 3 LBS.

**Apples** 19c  
Nice size Delicious — DOZ.

**Melons** 5, 10, and 15c  
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Market Specials

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**Cheese** CREAM — LB. 23c

**GRAPES** 10c  
RED MALACAS — LB.

**Plums** LARGE SIZE — DOZ. 12c

**Pears** RIPE MELLOW DOZ. 35c

**Onions** 65c  
50 LB. SACK

**Bell Pepper** Fresh, Crisp, Green LB. 10c

**SUGAR** 59¢  
PURE CANE — 10 LB. Bag

**LARD** 98c  
FRESH STOCK — 8 LBS.

**Flour** — 48 LB. Sack \$1.69

**Fruit Jars** Qts. 67c  
JAR LIDS — Dozen 10c

**Tomatoes** 25c  
No. 2 Cans — 3 For

**Market Specials**  
We Pay 13c FOR EGGS in Trade

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**Strauss Dry Goods Co.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cherry and **HONORED WITH PICNIC** children are on their vacation. They are first visiting in Terrell, Dallas and Fort Worth, and before their 30 days are spent they will return to Hamlin and then probably go to the mountains. While Mr. Cherry is away R. M. Greenhill, second track operator at the Santa Fe station, is acting agent.

Mrs. W. J. Cluney and children, of Abilene, are spending the week in Hamlin, guests of Mrs. F. D. Wells and family.

Plumbing Trouble? OK call, A. D. HORTON, Phone 44, Day Hdw. My entire time is given to the

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(39-4p)

Misses Constance Teague and Virginia Sue Flowers entertained last Thursday evening with a picnic at Hamlin Lake honoring Miss Jean McCain, of Bryan, and her guests. Misses Mildred Hood and Dorthea Colwell, of Stamford.

About ten couples met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Sauls on Union Avenue and motored to the lake where a picnic supper was served. The group was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Sauls, Mrs. Tom Teague and Mrs. Hibbs Milsap.

Mrs. Fay Abert and son, Albert, of Yuma, Arizona, have been here on a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. Z. Williams of the Hitson community.

Miss Louise Wright and little Miss Fay Petty, returned Saturday from Eunice, New Mexico, where they visited for two months.

Misses May Gay and Elsie Withers went to the two Centennial Cities Sunday to spend three or four days "seeing things," while on their vacation.

Miss Pauline Samford is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Kilborn in Eastland this week.

Mrs. W. A. Albritton and daughter, Miss Geneva, went to Dallas and Fort Worth last Thursday to visit the two big Centennials. Miss Geneva went over to Denton to visit Hamlin friends there in school and Mrs. Albritton returned Sunday.

Mayor Joe Culbertson and family and Miss Francis Joy Via left last Saturday for a trip to South Texas on their vacation. No not to Dallas this trip, but later.

Mrs. G. R. Wright of Eunice, New Mexico, is here to visit Mrs. Bertie Wright and other relatives. She is accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Jewel Lewis, of Eunice.

Plumbing Trade. Call me day or night. A. D. HORTON at Day Hdw.

**EXPERT  
REPAIR  
WORK**  
—Old Shoes Made Good As New—  
IN OUR SHOP

**J. B. BOWMAN'S  
SHOE SHOP**

Frank Harris of Tucson, Arizona, came Sunday to spend part of his vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Harris of the Abbie community.

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On account of poor nourishment, many women suffer functional pains at certain times, and it is for these that Cardui is offered on the record of the safe relief it has brought and the good it has done in helping to overcome the cause of womanly discomfort. Mrs. Cole Young, of Leesville, La., writes: "I was suffering with irregular . . . I had quite a lot a pain which made me nervous. I took Cardui and found it helped me in every way, making me regular and stopping the pain. This quieted my nerves, making my health much better." . . . If Cardui does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

Mrs. Blakely Campbell, of Longview, came last week to visit her mother, Mrs. B. F. Willingham, and others in Hamlin.

Do you need gas line or heating work? Call A. D. HORTON, The Plumber, at Day Hardware.

Denman Morgan, young insurance man of Hamlin, has accepted a position with a big insurance company as traveling inspector, with about 22 counties in his district. Denman is allowed to make Hamlin his headquarters.

Misses Zula Mae and Elva Wylie, who have been visiting with Miss Edwina Gilbert, left Thursday for their home in Dallas, accompanied by Miss Gilbert, going by way of the Davis Mountains, Del Rio and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. May and son, Bobbie of Colorado, are spending the week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May.

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Mrs. C. E. Lyon and little son, Clarence Frank, of Commerce, are spending the week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Harris.

Mrs. L. L. Cowan returned Monday from Marlin, where she had accompanied Mr. Cowan last week. She says he stood the trip fine and was resting better when she left.

**HELP WANTED**

Two young men and three young women may now earn attractive part of tuition by working in college office. Excellent opportunity to prepare for good position at reduced cost. More calls than we can fill. First come, first served. Clip this and mail today to Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas for full particulars.

# Clean-Up Campaign Closed Thurs., July 9; \$65 In Prizes Awarded

As previously announced, the pool of the sewer system along Clean-Up Campaign fostered by the Chamber of Commerce, through its Civic Committee, and assisted by the various clubs of the town, came to a close last Thursday. Friday all the 8 plats, fostered by the different Clubs, were judged, and the awards have gone to the following persons or firms having the cleanest premises in the respective plats.

No. 1—Boy Scouts prize of \$5.00 awarded to P. F. Fannin.

No. 2—Lions Club prize to T. D. Rogers Magnolia Filling Station.

No. 3—Rotary Club, prize to W. E. Benson.

No. 4—American Legion, prize to Rockwell Bros. & Co.

No. 5—Literary Club, prize to W. N. Temple.

No. 6—Hamlin Golf Club, prize to C. G. Green.

No. 7—P.T.A., prize to Mrs. A. E. Pardue.

No. 8—Music Club, prize to Mrs. J. P. Morgan.

In addition to the above 8 prizes of \$5.00 each from each Club to the one having cleanest premises, the Chamber of Commerce is giving a prize of \$25.00 to the Club having the cleanest plat. The one adjudged as having the cleanest plat goes to the Literary Club. So one can easily know, by doing some adding, that the 8 clubs and the Chamber of Commerce have given a total of \$65.00 in prizes.

The Committee desires to thank each Club, and each Club Committee, for their co-operation during the time the Campaign was on. Many places look better than they did before the Campaign was inaugurated. We feel that the effort was well worth the undertaking, however, to have a real Clean Town, there is much that remains to be done. The per cent made by the various plats was very low, some ran as low as 11 per cent, and the highest made was only 38 per cent, so, for the entire 8 plats the average per cent per plat will not run over 25 per cent. This, we know, can be exceeded by a better planned and more cooperative effort on the part of all. Signed,

IRA A. CLEMENTS,  
Chairman of Civic Committee of Chamber of Commerce.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT:

It is in place here for the Herald to comment on the above article.

First, if there is anything we believe in it is orderliness, cleanliness, and making the best out of whatever situation individuals, cities and countries may find themselves in. We believe in offering special inducements for clean premises, clean streets, clean districts, as a matter of sport, but along with the "incentive" we must not overlook the other side—where so many DO NOT give a whoop whether their property is cleaned or not. Public sentiment will work, generally, on making folks clean up and keep clean. The greatest award in a clean place is in the feeling, the thought of "now, look, are we judged a good house-keeper?"

We join in congratulations to all of the above persons, receiving cash awards, and along with this compliment, we desire to express congratulations to so many others who came near the edge of the cash. We all win.

Now, let's start a new system of clean-up and make it permanent. For example, let's see who can have the cleanest Avenue, whole street to center of alley) and why not enter into a contest of this kind?

Why not say, "Look at our Avenue, notice the pride being taken, from one end to the other, notice the trees, the flowers, the lawns, the paint and the absence of trash."

Hamlin is a hard town to keep tidy. But it can be done. We hear much complaint about mosquitoes. That pest can be controlled, to some extent, by starting in April and fighting them all down the line, after each rain, till frost. BUT you can NOT kill mosquitoes after they hatch and fly away. There are mosquitoes here now, and rest assured you will have them even after the first freeze. Powder, puff, spray and ever—it is too late to start to repel the mosquito enemy after he starts out on wings. Let's pay somebody to go down to the disposal

parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Harris.

The Abbie meeting will start Friday night. Everybody come.

W. A. Norris returned Friday from New Mexico.

Mrs. Lula Colwell of Hamlin, is visiting Mrs. Johnnie Agnew this week.

—JOYCE.

## SAFEWAY STORES BUY FARM PRODUCTS

Creation of wider markets for Texas agricultural products by stimulating increased consumption has been the object of five intensive farmer-consumer campaigns waged by Safeway Stores, Inc., during the past six months.

The campaigns which have been praised by farm leaders throughout the country were conducted in behalf of various industries representing beef, lamb, citrus fruits, products, and canned peaches.

L. B. Harris, Divisional Advertising Manager of Safeway Stores, Inc., in announcing results of these five campaigns said that additional farmer-consumer crusades would be waged during the balance of the year.

"This plan to help agriculture was originated by Safeway nearly five years ago when sheep men were faced with financial ruin because of enormous surpluses," he said.

"In that critical period Safeway through extensive newspaper advertising and increased sales efforts marketed in excess of 15,000 lambs in two days.

"This co-operative movement resulted in immediate financial salvation for the sheep industry and led to the inauguration of these farmer-consumer campaigns which have so successfully demonstrated the advantages of the chain store method of distribution."

R. C. Follock, secretary of the National Live Stock and Meat Board, in a communication to R. W. Doe, vice president of Safeway, said in part:

"Your campaigns have been very complete, well organized, and without doubt very effective. I know that your activity along this line is appreciated by all branches of the livestock and meat industry."

### MR. MIERS THANKS VOTERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT

TO THE VOTERS OF  
COMMISSIONER'S PRECINCT  
No. 2, FISHER CO.:

In the Primary of July 25, I received support that placed me in the run-off election on August 22. I wish here to thank each and everyone for their vote, and to those who voted for my opponents and my friends, I trust that I may have your vote and influence in the run-off election. I shall be very grateful for your vote. If possible I shall see each of you, but in case I do not, please bear in mind that I want your vote and if elected I shall to make you the best Commissioner possible.

R. L. (RED) MIERS. (p)

Mrs. Ellen Tate and son, William Woods Tate, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harvey and little daughter, Jessalyn, and Mrs. James Quin, all of Cuba, Ala., arrived Thursday night of last week to visit the Mays and Ezells and other relatives in Hamlin. Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Quin are daughters of Mrs. Ellen Tate. These people visited the Centennial and will continue on to the plains of Texas from here.

### Refreshing Relief When You Need a Laxative

Because of the refreshing relief it has brought them, thousands of men and women, who could afford much more expensive laxatives, use Black-Draught when needed. It is very economical, purely vegetable, highly effective... Mr. J. Lester Roberson, well known hardware dealer at Martinsville, Va., writes: "I certainly can recommend Black-Draught as a splendid medicine. I have taken it for constipation and the dull feelings that follow, and have found it very satisfactory."

### BLACK-DRAUGHT

S. L. Farmer left Tuesday for Mountainair, N. Mex., to make a visit of a few weeks and to work in the Pinto bean harvest. He accompanied Warren Farmer and Jess Kelly, who came over for a short visit with Fisher County relatives.

### LITTLE CAROL EDWARD NEWSON DIED EARLY MONDAY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Newsom is saddened this week by the death of their only child, little Carroll Edward Newsom Jr., who passed away at the Abilene Hospital Sunday morning at 8:15 o'clock.

The little boy was one year, eight months and twenty-eight days of age. He was ill for about fifteen days and was carried to the hospital about twelve days before his death.

Funeral services were held at the Hamlin Baptist Church, Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Reid of Roby. Interment was in the Hamlin East Cemetery, by the Barrow Company.

### WHO WANTS A BEAUTIFUL PIANO AT A BARGAIN?

We may have in your vicinity in a few days a splendid upright piano with duet bench to match. Also a lovely Baby Grand in two tone mahogany. Terms, if desired. Might take livestock or poultry as part payment. Address at once.

BROOKS MAYS & CO., The Reliable BROOKS MAYS & CO., The Reliable Piano House, Dallas, Texas (41-4t)

Warren Farmer, who has been at Mountainair, New Mexico, for about a year farming, came back last Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farmer of this city. He was accompanied by Jesse, Kelly of Hitson, who has also been in the neighbor state with Warren.

Mrs. C. C. Scott and children, Little Miss Nita Gene and twin sons, Rue and Rae, of Westbrook, Texas, are visiting their father, W. E. Mizell of near Stamford. Mrs. Scott is the wife of Rev. C. C. Scott, formerly of Hamlin. She reports Rev. Scott as being in very ill health and he recently went to a government hospital at Ft. Bayard, New Mex.

## Nation Wide Beef Sale

# Beef

Loin or T-Bone

## Steaks

Very Choice Cut lb 19c

Chuck Roast Meats Cuts lb 12c

Short Rib Roast For Oven or Pot Roast lb 10c

Hamburger lb 12c

Club Steaks lb 17c

Swift's Brookfield Cheese lb 21c

Sliced Bacon Sugar Cured lb 27c

## Pickles

26 Oz. Jar 15c

Maximum Flour 48 Lb. Sack \$1.69

Harvest Blossom Flour 48 Lb. Sack \$1.49

Canterbury Tea 1 4 15c

Airway Coffee 3 Lbs. 50c

Salad Dressing Quart Jar 25c

Tomatoes No. 1 Can 5c

## Sugar

10 Lbs. . . . 53c

Grapes Red Malagas 2 Lbs. 25c

Peaches Choice Doz. 15c

Sweet Potatoes New Crop Lb. 5c

Grapefruit Choice California 6 For 25c

Green Beans Lb. 10c

Tomatoes Stone Lb. 9c

Oranges Choice California Doz. 30c

Fluff Toilet Tissue 2 1000 Sheet Rolls 9c

Silk Tissue 6 Rolls 25c

## Oxydol

20¢

Borax WASHING COMPOUND 6 Boxes 17c

Lux Soap 2 Bars 15c

Camay Soap Bar 5c

Soap Chips 5 Lb. Box 35c

Sunbrite Cleanser 2 Cans 9c

Union Bluing 12 Oz. Bottle 5c

## SAFEWAY STORES